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Hello Doug,

As we discussed earlier in the week, EPA is approving the urgent slope repair work needed to return the Leviathan Mine Road into service in the Pond 3 area. Use of this road is essential to the Water Board's performance of the Pond Water Treatment System operations as described in the Administrative Abatement Action. Please consider the approval conditions noted in the attached letter, and provide results of additional analyses requested in our June 26, 2017 email regarding slope stability calculations for our project files.

Please contact myself or Lynda Deschambault with any questions.

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